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CERTIFICATES OF APPEALABILITY

A petitioner wishing to appeal from the denial of a petition pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254 or 28 U.S.C. § 2255, must file a timely notice of appeal and should promptly apply to the presiding judicial officer for a certificate of appealability. The application will be directed in the first instance to the district court judge who refused the writ.